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SUBJECT: KUWAITI AID TO ARABIAN PENINSULA STATED

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SUMMARY: KUWAIT IS OFFERING LIMITED DEVELOPMENT ASSISTANCE TO NORTH AND SOUTH YEMAN AND BAHRAIN FROM BUDGET OF ITS GENERAL BOARD FOR SOUTH ARABIA AND ARABIAN GULF. FOLLOWING PROPOSED VISIT OF KUWAITI FOREIGN MINISTER TO OMAN, SOME ASSISTANCE TO OMAN IS LIKELY. END SUMMARY.

1. DURING DISCUSSIONS OF PROPOSED VISIT OF FOREIGN MINISTER TO LOWER GULF STATES AND OMAN, FONMIN DIRECTOR OF POLITICAL DEPT. ISSA AL- HAMAD TOLD EMBOFF KUWAIT HAD NOW LARGELY REDIRECTED EFFORTS
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OF GENERAL BOARD FOR SOUTH ARABIA AND ARABIAN GULF FROM LOWER GULF STATES (WHO GENERALLY ABLE UNDERTAKE OWN PROJECTS) TO NORTH AND SOUTH YEMEN. GENERAL BOARD BUDGET FOR K1973-74 TOTALS KD TWO MILLION WITH KD 1,050,000 ALLOCATED TO CONSTRUCTION

PROJECTS AS FOLLOWS KD 550,000 FOR SCHOOLS IN YAR:
KD 250,000 FOR SCHOOLS IN PDRY, AND KD 250,000 FOR
SCHOOLS IN BAHRAIN.

2. AL- HAMAD SAID GOK WAS TRYING TO GIVE SOUTH YEMEN
KIND OF AID FROM WHICH PEOPLE THEMSELVES WOULD BENEFIT
SO THEY WOULD FEEL THAT ANOTHER ARAB COUNTRY WAS
HELPING THEM DIRECTLY RATHER THAN REGIME. KUWAIT
HOPED
WON' T KNOW THE RESULTS OF THIS ONE UNTIL THE BALLOTS ARE COUNTED.

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